

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A St. Louis syndicate has purchased several leading Leavenworth mines for \$5,000,000.

A royal order has fixed the legal rate of tolls in the Island of Cuba at a per cent. per annum.

Mrs. Maria L. Crew, aged twenty-eight, was outraged and murdered at Ayer, Mass., Saturday afternoon by a tramp.

General Sherman having referred to General H. V. Boynton, Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette, as a "notorious shyster," the latter has published a sharp reply, intimating that he will institute suit against the General.

A colored servant in the family of Samuel Montgomery, Oberlin, Ohio, having been severely reprimanded for theft, put a large quantity of arsenic in a dish of oysters prepared for supper Friday night. Seven out of nine persons at the table partook of it, and were soon after seized from death by the fact that the girl had put too much poison in the dish, procureing violent nausea.

An alteration occurred at Charlestown, W. Va., on Saturday evening between The W. S. Sparks, an ex-Confederate soldier who lost a leg during the war, and a young man named Thomas Bragg, during which Bragg struck Sparks on the head with a stone, inflicting injuries from which he died. Bragg has been arrested and led to jail. Sparks leaves a wife and five children.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The Booker gold mine, in Buckingham county, is now doing a fine paying business.

The net earnings of the Charlottesville Woolen Mills Company for the past year show a return of over four hundred per cent. upon the capital stock.

The farm of the late John W. Warner, 182 acres, in Loudoun county, was sold last week to John W. Worcester, for \$50 per acre. This land is assessed at \$40 per acre.

The resignation of Colonel McDonald as a professor at the Virginia Military Institute has been handed the board of visitors of that institution. Col. McDonald contemplates accepting a position in the United States fish commission.

Rev. R. H. Phillips, principal of the Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton, has resigned on account of ill health. Professor C. L. C. Minor, late president of the Virginia Agricultural College, and well known as educational and literary circles, is a prominent candidate for the position.

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The cause was in session until nearly Sunday morning, and the session was stormy, some few members of that body have not been able to stomach some of the measures recently brought forth by them, and this was the beginning of the trouble. And there is another stirring rumor in circulation, it being nothing more nor less than that Major Davis's resignation was before them. It is further understood that a few days since the young major has expressed themselves as lacking information on many of the points upon which he touched. And yet when the time for a decision shall come every senator will be present, and each will vote as far as with so much self confidence and assurance as though he had studied the subject thoroughly and understood it in all its bearings. To suppose that they will find out what Mr. McCallum by reading the Congressional Record is to accredit them with even less sense than they have.

Among the directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, recently elected by the City Council of Baltimore, is Dr. G. W. Chapman, formerly of this city. The Doctor, some years since, abandoned the practice of his profession, and now, in addition to the position to which he has just been elected, holds that of President of the Maryland State Insane Asylum and that of Secretary of the State Board of Health. His numerous friends here will be glad to hear of his rise and success.

The New York Herald publishes a long biography of Mr. Rescoe Cooking, and says he is the most prominent man now before the American people. Unquestionably he was the most prominent man in the country last summer, but, judging from the Herald's columns, then, that newspaper was unaware of his existence at that time.

The Maine Budget.

Maine has now a dual government. On Saturday the republicans went through the form of electing Daniel F. Davis Governor, and the other State officers. There has been no actual collision between the factions, nor is any likely to occur.

The republicans meet in session again today and the federalists resemble tomorrow at noon. Gen. Chamberlain received the authority of Davis. The republicans anticipated that the federalists will surrender and make peace with them to their displeasure.

Mr. Wm. L. Royal has stated that he will, on the 20th of the month, begin the publication of a daily paper in this city. The paper will be strongly democratic and opposed to the internal foes of Virginia. Mr. Royal will be its editor and proprietor.

To day at St. James' (Episcopal) Church, Rev. Dr. Peterkin, the pastor, presented a beautiful and impressive sermon, in the course of which he alluded to the importance of meeting our obligations and the condition of Virginia to day. He spoke sorrowfully of the present apathy of many of the Virginians to day, while their State was resting under the shadow of disunion, and said, in substance, that white men say they are sorry at the condition of affairs, yet few exhibit any real disposition to remedy the evil. Dr. Peterkin (then whom there is no more venerable minister in Richmond) exhibited great emotion when he spoke of his State's disunion.

At that is it not apathy. It is so true. Where is the young democracy of Virginia? Where is the earnest young Virginian? What is he doing now to stem the current of corruption spreading over his State, currying favor of institutions and its hollowed tradition? Surely for these things also God will see an account!

D. Legate Lake Perdue, of Franklin, that red-adjuster who thought red-jackets had disgraced so far as he could sit in the Capitol with his shoes and socks off, while he criticizes the detection of passing judges, has gained such a reputation thereby that many people have repaired to the Capitol in the hope of seeing the royal sight. Some of the indignant members of the House have threatened to call the master to the attention of the House Monday morning.

Joe L. W. c. fared long the efficient and polite junior of the House of Delegates, was discharged by the new Superintendent of Public Buildings, yesterday, in order to make place for another colored man. The charge against Joe is that he voted the conservative ticket in the recent election. And yet some people call this new party conservative, and we see the strange sight of one of their number turning out a colored man because he voted the conservative ticket. But Joe is not killed yet. He declined to surrender the keys to his successor, The Governor told him to "hold the fort." The new appointment is of no effect until the Governor approves it. The Governor has thus prevent the removal of a number of good and faithful State officials—among them the Captain of police and the assistant superintendent of the penitentiary.

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